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Applicant(s): Takeo Eguchi et al.

Invention: LIQUID DISCHARGE DEVICE AND LIQUID DISCHARGE METHOD

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Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

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AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION

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Dear Sir:

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

In response to the Office Action dated December 9, 2005, please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 24 of this paper.